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Applicant: Mark E. Dausch et al.  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Communication mailed on June 27, 2007, please elect Group I (claims 29-36), and withdraw the remaining claims. Cancel claim 34. Please call if there is anything I can do to advance the prosecution of this case.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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